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If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 8-16.

Identification of prior art discussed: Holy et al., EP 0 552 876 A1.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant has agreed to cancel all claims except present claims 8-16. The Examiner has agreed to withdraw the rejection and allow the claims pending an updated search.

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